

COMMUNITY RELATIONS SERVICE**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

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The Community Relations Service (CRS) is the Department's "peacemaker" for community conflicts and tensions arising from differences of race, color, and national origin. Created by the Civil Rights Act of 1964, CRS is the only Federal agency dedicated to assist State and local units of government, private and public organizations, and community groups with preventing and resolving racial and ethnic tensions, incidents, and civil disorders, and in restoring racial stability and harmony. CRS facilitates the development of viable, mutual understandings and agreements as alternatives to coercion, violence, or litigation. It also assists communities in developing local mechanisms, conducting training, and other proactive measures to prevent or reduce racial/ethnic tension.

**Projected No.
of Volunteers:** 3 - 5

**Internship
Location(s):** Washington, D.C.

**Application
Materials:** Resume, transcript (official or unofficial), writing sample (no more than 5 pages) and dates when available

Qualifications: First-year (second semester) and second-year law students. Students looking to apply their research and writing skills and increasing exposure to policy and management issues are encouraged to apply.

**Application
Deadline:** Summer of 2004: April 1, 2004
Fall semester of 2004: August 13, 2004
Spring semester of 2005: December 13, 2004

**Minimum Weeks
Required:** Summer: 7-10 weeks, full/part-time, min. 3 full days/week
Fall/Spring: Part-time up to a maximum of 20 hours per week

Salary: Volunteer (without compensation) or work-study credit

Assignments: Interns can expect to work closely with counsel's office in monitoring CRS' field work. Interns will also work with CRS field offices and HQ in reviewing various methods of alternative dispute resolution.

Web Site: www.usdoj.gov/crs